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SECRETARY GENERAL RECEIVES NUMBER OF HEADS OF DELEGATIONS INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF WORLD PEACE COUNCIL

ADEN, Feb. 9 - ANA - Comrade Ali Nasser Mohammad, CC Secretary General and Chairman of the Presidium of the Supreme People's Council and Premier received athis office this morning a number of heads of delegations taking part in the works of the international conference of the World PeaceCouncil on the issue of the Middle East and the dangers of imperialist military-build-up now in session in Aden.

He received individually the delegation of the Peace Council in Syria headed by Brother Ahmed al-Hasson, Memberof the National Leadership and Vice-Chairman ofthe Council and the delegation of the National Council for Peace and Solidarity in the Iraqi Republic headed by Dr. Issam Abdel Ali Deputy Secretary General of the Council and the delegation of the Peace Council in the Republic of India headed by Comrade Chandra Singh, Member of Parliament for the Party of Indira branch.

During the meeting they discussed the current situation in the Middle East area as a result of the imperialist and zionist offensive against the Palestinian and Lebanese peoples and also the American aggressive plans which aim at liquifying the peace and security in the world.

WORKS OF ASSESSMENT SESSION OF FIRST TRAINING STAGE OF 1981/82 STARTS

ADEN, Feb. 9 - ANA - The works of the assessment session of the first training stage of 1981/82 started today in the presence of Comrade Ali Nasser Mohammad, CC Secretary General and Chairman of the Presidium of the Supreme People's Council and Premier and Comrade Ali Ahmed Naser Antar, Member of the Political Bureau and First Deputy Premier and Minister of Local Government, Comrade Saleh Munassar Asseely, Me mber of the Political Bureau and Chairman of the State Security Committee, and Comrade Saleh Mosleh Qassem, Member of the CC and Minister of Defence. Commanders of forces, weapons, divisions, zones and other units and deputy political commanders took part in the session.

At the opening of the session, the Comrade Secretary General delivered a directive speech in which he greeted the efforts made for holding this session which he described as to gain special importance on the consideration that it comes at the end of the works of the fifth ordinary session of the Central Committee which represented a new step in the field of development and consolidation of the methods of activity of our par ty amidst the ranks of the masses.

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It also tackled a number of party and political issues for the sake of mobilising all energies and consolidating the leading role of the party in the society and establishing its ideological, organisational and political unity and implementing the second year plan of the second five-year plan for development.

The Comrade Secretary General reviewed the conditions and developments at regional, Arab and international levels pointing out the dangers that threaten the security and stability of our people in Yemen and the peop les of the Arabian Peninsula and Gulf area and our Arab peoples entirely as a result of the escalation of the aggressive trend of the forces of imperialism and zionism and their stooges which started to spread up in a wide scale and expand their suspected military movements and establish aggressive military bases and fleets in collusion with some puppet staunches.

The Comrade Secretary General shed light on the aggressive military movements across the borders ofour country and the areas close to it and which take from the Sultanate of Oman an arena for plotting against our Yemeni people and constitute danger to the security and stability in the entire area. He pointed out that the current military and political situation in the area has become more complicated due to the expansion of the military presence of the American rapid deployment forces and Intensification of their provocative movements, a matter which calls for further world vigilance and promotion of the combat readiness of the armed forces and development of the methods of the political and party working forms amidst the ranks of the fighters, preparation of the forces, weapons, brigades, and people's militia and organisation of cooperation between them for checking off any possible aggression by the forces which are in wait for the security and stability of our area and people.

The Secretary General expressed the confidence of the party and people in the abilities of our armed forces and their brave fighters to confront all these dangers. He pointed out that under the complicated circumstances that surround our country, the fighters of our armed forces made great efforts to promote the standard of combat readiness and improve the quality of combat and political training to the invidiuals side by side with the extensive activity being carried by the armed forces in the economic and social fields which made the armed forces and its fighters secure the confidence, love and pride of the party andmasses of the people.

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In the course of his important speech, the Comrade Secretary General prasied the honest internationalist assistance extended and still being extended by the friend ly Soviet Union and the Socialist countries in the field of arming and training the armed forces and also the assistance being extended by Socialist Cuba in the field of the People's Militia. He stressed upon the necessity and importance of continuing the efforts for the success of the forthcoming training stage plan and accomplishment of the military projects on the plan for development of the armed forces in the scheduled time. He urged the military commanders to make further work and to consolidate the party and military descipline for accomplishing the tasks lying on the shoulders of our armed forces. He reaffirmed the continuation by the party and State leaders to extend all forms of backing and care for developing our armed forces and improving the living conditions of their individuals.

However, the Comrade Saleh Mosleh Qassem, Member of the CC and Minister of Defence opened the works of these session with a speech in which he welcomed the brother officials who attended the opening of this session and all those present and pointed to the importance of this session which constitutes an assessment stand before the training quarter of the armed fofces for 1981/82.

He also praised the backing and care being given given by the party and State leaders in the field of developing the armed forces. He affirmed that our armed forces will be a strong and helpful factor for safeguarding the unity of our party and a protective shield for protecting our land and revolution and will establish their principled relations with the army of the Great Socialist October Revolution.

BRIGADIER ALI ANTAR MEETS NUMBER OF HEADS OF PEACE DELEGATIONS

ADEN, Feb. 9 - ANA - Brigadier Ali Ahmed Naseer Antar, Member of the Political Bureau and Deputy Premier and Minister of Local Government, discussed with a number of heads of delegations to the works of the International Conference of the World Peace Council on the Issue of the Middle East and dangers of imperialist military build-up the seriousness of the current conditions in the area of the Middle East as a result of the savage aggressive acts undertaken by the United States of America and the zionist enemy against the Palstinian and Lebanese peoples and the peoples of Latin America. This took place today when he met them at the Higher School for Scientific Socialism at Khormaksar separately. The delegations included those of Chile, Afghanistan and Cuba. During this meeting they also reviewed the relations of friendship and cooperation linking the Yemeni Socialist Party and the parties of their friendly countries. They also discussed the aggressive acts of American imperialism represented in the establishment of military bases and creation of rapid deployment forces. In turn the delegations praised the developments achieved by the people in PDRY under the leadership of the Yemeni Socialist PaRty and the government of the revolution at all levels and in all fields and hailed the hospitality accorded to them.

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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF WORLD PEACE COUNCIL ENDS WORKS

ADEN, Feb. 9 - ANA - The International Conference of the World Peace Council on the Issue of the Middle East and the Dangers of Imperialist Military Build-up ended its works this evening. These meetings started from 6th February at the hall of the Higher School for Scientific Socialism.

The closing meeting of the conference was attended by Comrade Ali Nasser Mohammad, CC Secretary General and Chairman of the Presidium of the Supreme People's Council and Premier, members of the Political Bureau and Central Committee, Comrade Fisiha Desta, Assistant Secretary General of the Provisional Administrative Military Council and Deputy Premier and member of the Executive Committee of the Organisational Committee of the Ethiopian Working People's Party, heads of Arab and foreign diplomatic missions and representatives of the national liberation movements accredit ed in Aden and participants in the conference as well as huge crowds of citizens. At the final meeting Comrade Ali Nasser Mohammad decorated Comrade Romesh Chandra, President of the World Peace Council, with the medal of 14 October revolution.

In a speech delivered to mark the occasion, Comrade Ali Nasser congratulated Comrade Romesh Chandra on this outstanding medal which he won from the leadership of the State in Democratic Yemen. He said while decorating you with this outstanding medal we are decorating in you that leading internationalist militant/devoted years of his life to the support of the just causes of peop les for freedom, social progress and for the final victory of peace over war and over all weapons of destruction and aggresion and also for the noble efforts made by you in the heart of the world peace movement which secure the respect and admiration of the party and the leadership of the State in our country.

He added: it is a duty to say that the millions of our Yemeni people, similarly like hundreds of milions in our planet, cherish to safeguard everything noble and honest to the process of world peace. Please be confident that these millions will struggle side by side with the forces of peace in the world against world imperialism and the weapons of destruction which threaten life on earth.

The Secretary General expressed full satisfaction with the outcome of the works of the international conference on the issue of the Middle East and the dangers of imperialist military build-up and said that they will consolidate more the forthcoming world struggle by the forces of good and peace. He added that this gathering witnessed by Democratic Yemen during three days confirms the soundness of the road of peace chosen by Democratic Yemen.

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He congratulated the participants in the conference on the glittering results achieved by the conference. In conclusion of his speech he expressed confidence over the victory of the supreme objectives of the world peace movement.

After his decoration with the medal of 14 October revolution, Comrade Romesh Chandra said that this is an important moment in the life of the World Peace Council for this honour which is regarded as an honour for the World Peace Council and millions of simple people in the world. He expressed thanks and admiration in the nameof the Peace council and millions of humans to democratic Yemen, party, government and people for this honour.

Comrade Ali Badheeb, Member of the CC and Chairman of the Yemeni Council for Peace and Solidarity also delivered a speech in which he announced that the works of the conference have been crowned with complete success and added that it constituted an international demonstration against the policy of world imperialism topped by American imperialism for the victory of the issues of liberation, progress and peace in the area and the world. It also constituted an evidence of the importance of consolidating and piling up the unity of all forces of the struggle for realising and safeguarding peace and also supporting the honest andnoble objectives for which the World Peace Council and all peoples struggle. He said that the resolutions and recommendations with which the conference came out confirm this.

He reaffirmed Democratic Yemen's principled and firm stand in support of the just cause of the Palestine revolution under the leadership of the Palestine Liberation Organisation and its firm stand with the socialist community topped by the Soviet Union and all peace-loving forces struggling for liberation and progress.

The participants addressed a message of tribute to the people of Democratic Yemen in which they expressed full and firm solidarity with the struggle of the people of Democratic Yemen and backing for their steps for the re-unity of the Yemeni homeland and support for the sound policy adopted at the national level and their stands in support of world peace and confrontation by them of the aggressive plans and movements in the area. The tribute supported the initiative of Comrade Ali Nasser Mohammad, CC Secretary General and Chairman of the Presidium of the Supreme People's Council and Premier for holding a summit for the countries of the area and expressed deep admiration and thanks to the people in Democratic Yemen and the Yemeni Socialist Party for hosting the conference and extending all means of success and pontentialities for facilitating its assignment.

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However the conference held a working meeting this evening during which it approved a number of documents and important resolutions on the military bases and their dangers in the Middle East area and on the issue of the Middle East, on Aden's declaration condemning the American military bases in the area, and on support of the resolution of the U.N. General Assembly on condemnation of Israel's decision to annex the Syrian Golan Heights. The conference also app roved messages of tribute to Brothers Yasser Arafat, Muammar Qaddafi, and Hafez al-Assad and Comrade Menghistu Haile Mariam and a message of solidarity with Democratic Yemen.

LOCAL PEOPLE'S COUNCIL IN ABYAN GOVERNORATE ENDS SESSION

ADEN, Feb. 9 - ANA - The Local People's Council in Abyan Governorate ended its first ordinary session of this year today. T he session was held under Brother Mohammad Ali Ahmed, CCMember and Chairman of the Executive Bureau of the Local People's Council and Governor of the governorate of Abyan and taking part in it was Brother Abdel Illah Muthanna Hussein, CC Member and First Secretary of the Party Organisation in the Governorate, Brother Haider Abubaker Attass, CC Member and Minister of Constructions and Brother Mohammad Ahmed Qataabi, Minister of Housing.

The final statement issued by the session asked that the current year by an year of constant work for ijplementing the tasks of the second year plan of the second five-year development plan with higher strengths by the utilities of work and production and safeguarding of public property and mental use of the human and material resources.

The session app roved a report by the Executive Bureau and the assessment report on the plan of the council and its executive bureau for the past year and all documents forwarded to the session.

The statement asked the deputies of the people each within his jurisdictions to work continuously for realising the objectives of the programme and plan of 1982.

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CITYOF MUKALLA WITNESSES MASS RALLY

MUKALLA, Feb. 9 - ANA - A mass rally was held this afternoonin the city of Mukalla in Hadhramaut governorate marking the 13th anniversaryof the birth of the Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine and the visit of Brother Naif Hawatimah, Secretary General of the Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine to Hadhramaut Governorate and also on the occasion of the completion of the works of the International Conference of the World Peace Council on the Middle East issue and the danger of the imperialist military build-up in Aden.

Brother Salem Mohammad Gubran, CC Member and First Secretary of the Party Organisation Committee in Hadhramaut Governorate delivered a speech In the rally in which he praised the close and principled cohesion between the two Yemeni and Palestinian revolutions and their stand together on one concrete political ground for confronting the imperialist, zionist and reactionary conspiracies aimed against the strugle of our Arab people and liquidation of the revolutionary gains achieved and being achieved by them and reaffirmed the ability of the two revolutions to repel the conspiracies and machinations of the imperialist, zionist and reactionary forces in order to achieve victory for the national legitimate issues.

He pointed out that the international situation is considered more complicated due to the intensification of the world imperialist campaign under the leadership of the United States of America against our Arab r egion for protecting its interests and keeping our Arab peop le under the imperialist hegemony and preventing them from constructing their new life. Brother Salem Mohammad Gubran recalled the review made by the Central Committee of the Yemeni Socialist Party during its fifth session held last January on the development of the political situation at Arab and national levels, and on the Yemeni issue and re-stressed upon the importance of the struggle for the unity of the Yemeni homeland in the peaceful and democratic method and through negotiations and increase of contribution of all honest nationalists in the struggle for safeguarding the two glorious revolutions of 26th September and 14th October.

In conclusion he praised the support being extended by the forces of progress, liberation and peace topped by the Soviet Union to the struggles of the masses of our Arab nation for freedom, progress and peace.

Brother Naif Hawatimah aLso delivered a speech in the rally in which he prasied the mass struggles in Hadhramaut Governorate against the Anglo-Sultanic rule and for safeguarding the progressive and revolutionary attitude at the level of the whole of Democratic Yemen.

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He reaffirmed thatt the cooperation of the two Palestinian and Yemeni revolutions to oppose the enemies of our nation who include imperialists, zionists and reactionaries and emphasised the continuation by the Palestinian people of its just struggle and of carrying the rifle until all its rights are accomplished and realised.

At the end of His speech he praised the at titudes of the Yemeni revolution and the Yemeni Socialist Party, the Arab steadfastness and confrontation front and the Lebanese national forces and socialist states topped by the Soviet Union towaards the issue of the Palestinian people.

The rallyw as attended by Brothers Saleh HassonMohammad,CC Member and Principal of the Higher School for Scientific Socialism, Brother Saeed Abdullah Badhurais, CC Member-designate and Secretary of the Workers Council in Hadhramaut Governorate and a number of officials in the governorate and representatives of liberation movements accredited in Aden and a crowd of citizens.

NAIF HAWATIMAH CHAIRS POLITICAL SYMPOSIUM HELD AT PREMISES OF PALESTINE LIBERATION ORGANISATION IN ADEN

ADEN, Feb. 9 - ANA - A political symposium was held at the premises of the Palestine Liberation Organisation in Aden yesterday which was attended by the Ambassadors of the Socialist countries and the steadfastness and confrontation front, representatives of the Arab national liberation movements and representative of the Palestine resistance groups and huge crowds of members of the Palestinian community and Arab communities and huge crowds of Yemeni citizens. Comrade Naif Hawatimah, Secretary General of the Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine, spoke in the symposium on the Palestinian, Arab and international political situation and replied to the questions put up by those present.

The symposium was opened with a speech by Brother Abbas Zaki, representative of the Palestine Liberation Organisation in Aden in which he warmly welcomed Comrade Hawatimah and those present.

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SECRETRRY GENERAL HOLDS RECEPTION FOR DELEGATIONS TAKING PART IN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF WORLD PEACE COUNCIL

ADEN, Feb. 9 - ANA - Comrade Ali Nasser Mohammad, CC Secretary~~General~~ and Chairman of the Presidium of the Supreme People's Council and Premier, held this evening at the Presidium a reception for the delegations taking part in the works of the International Conference of the World Peace Council on the idsue of the Middle East and the dangers of the imperialist military build-up which ended its works this evening.

The reception was attended by the members of the Political Bureau, and Central Committee, Ministers, Comrade Desta, Assistant Secretary General of the Provisional Administrative Military Council and Deputy Premier of Socialist Ethiopia and Member of the Organisational Executive Committee of the Ethiopian Working Peop le's Party and Comrade Romesh Chandra, President of the World Peace Council and the delegations to the conference. During the reception artistic fetes were performed.

YEMENI SOCIALIST PARTY ORGANISATION COMMITTEE IN LAHEJ GOVERNORATE BEGINS NINTH ORDINARY SESSION

ADEN, Feb. 9 - ANA - The Yemeni Socialist Party Organisation Committee in Lahej Governorate began this morning its ninth ordinary session under Brother Mahdi Abdullah Saeed, CC Member and Secretary of the Party Organisation in the governorate. T he session, which will last two days, will review a number of reports among which is the assessment report on the activity of the governorate committee and its secretariat for 1981 and its draft plan for 1982. It will also review assessment reports on the activity of the Executive Bureau of the Local People's Council and mass organisations for 1981 and the programme of the work of the executive bureau for 1982 and the preparations relateed to the holding of the congresses of the centres in the governorate.

ARAB COOPERATIVES UNION D ELEGATION ARRIVES AT ADEN

ADEN, Feb.9 - ANA - A delegation from the Arab cooperatives Union headed by Br other Qaid Abdel Gabbar al-Sharida, Secretary General of the Union, arrived at Aden this afternoon on a visit to Democratic Yemen lasting several days. The visit of the delegation comes as part of a tour which will cover several Arab countries with the aim of extending invitations to the officials in the Arab cooperative movements including the cooperative movment in Democratic Yemen to attend the meeting of the central council of Arab cooperative Union scheduled to be held in Kuwait in mid April.

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MEETING OF SOLIDARITY WITH THE PEOPLE OF AFGHANISTAN.

ADEN.FEB.9TH ANA.

A meeting was being held here today at the residence of the Central Council of the Yemeni Students' Union in solidarity with the people of Afghanistan. At the meeting Br.Mutlaq Abdulla Hasson, CC member and Secretary of Party Branch of Aden, ddlivered a speech on hehalf of a Democratic Yemen, in which he pointed out that the revolution in Afghanistan and the progressive measures it has taken haye aroused anger among the forces of imperialism and reaction, which have started to hatch out plots and conspiracies against the Afghani revolution.

He praised the support of the Soviet Union for the Afghani people, which is in line with the spirit of the treaty concluded between the two countries and valued highly the heroic efforts made by the Afghani people for the defence of their revolution.

The meeting was also addressed by the representatives of the delegations from Hungary, the Peace Council of the Arabian Peninsula, Bahrain, Jordan, and Afghanistan. They reaffirmed their solidarity with the Afghani revolution in its just struggle against imperialist conspiracies inside and outside the country.

They stressed that the forces of imperialism and world reaction are waging an undeclared war against the people of Afghanistan and called for solidarity with them. They praised the unselfish support of the Soviet Union for Afghani people.

The meeting adopted a communique solidarity with the people of Afghanistan in which it expressed its high esteem and its support for the measures taken by the regime in Afganistan in order to defend its achievements and welcomes the help extended by the Soviet Union in order to make the revolution win. The communique demands the immediate stop of interference with the internal affairs of Afghanistan. It expresses support for the proposals submitted by Afghanistan for improving and developing the bilateral relations with its neighbours and calls upon the peace-loving forces to extend their solidarith to the Afghani people. It condemns the criminal acts committed by the forces of imperialism and reaction

against them.

SOLIDARITY RALLY WITH THE PEOPLE OF THE GULF AND THE ARABIAN PENINSULA.

ADEN.FEB.9TH ANA.

A solidarity rally with the people of the Gulf and the Arabian Peninsula was held today at the Law Faculty in which Br.Salem Bukair CC member and Rector of Aden University delivered the speech of Democratic Yemen in which he pointed to the reinforcement of the progressive regime in Democratic Yemen and its effect on the people of the region and their struggles and also the role of the Iranian revolution in changing the balance of Power in favour of the forces of liberation and progress in the region and the escalation of mass movement in the whole region and shaking the pro-imperial ist puppet regimes.

He pointed out the aims behind ~~the increase~~ of American imperialism of its military presence in the region and praised the proposals of the Soviet Union in respect of clearing the foreign military bases from the Indian Ocean, Gulf and the Red Sea and achieving the just peace in the Middle East and the call of Democratic Yemen for holding Summit Conference for the States of region for clearing foreign bases and safeguarding the security and peace.

Speeches were also delivered by the representative of Liberation movements in the Gulf and the Arabian Peninsula and the delegations of socialist Ethiopia, Democratic Germany Australia and Bangaladesh in which they expressed deepest solidarity with the people of the region to ward off the dangers of nuclear wars and to resist imperial ist hegemony in the region and the military movements.

The speeches greeted the efforts of Democratic Yemen to consolidate security and stability in the region.

The solidarity meeting addressed tribute in solidarity with the peoples of Gulf and Peninsula and expressed solidarity with the struggle of the Yemeni people and condemned the imperialist and reactionary conspiracies aimed against the march of its revolution and obstruction of its development and independent progress and also the solidar ity with the revolution of the Iranian people and condemned

the increase of the military presence of imperialism in the region and called for support for the efforts of Democratid Yemen for Yemeni re-unity and support of the PeoplesFront for the Liberation of Oman, and the call of Democratic Yemen to hodd a summit conference for the states of the region for clearing the imperialist military bases and support the proposals of the Soviet Union in respect of keeping the Gulf regiin and the Indian Ocean a zone of peace and support the struggle of the Gulf and Peninsula Peoples for Liberation and progress and appealed for halting the Iraqi-Iranian war and condemned the military and security blocks and pacts connected with imperialism and working against the sovereignity, security and independence of the peoples of the region.

FESTIVAL OF SOLIDARITY WITH PEOPLES OF SOUTHERN AFRICA.

ADEN,FEB.9TH ANA.

A meeting of solidarity with the peoples of Southern Africa was being held at the textile factory here today. It was addressed by Mr.Mohmood Al-Naggashi,CC member and Deputy CC Secretary, who pilloried in his speech the inhuman practice of the racist regime of South Africa against the peoples of South Africa and Namibia, He denounced its violation of human rights of international conventions and practices its aggressions against other nations of the African Continent.

He exposed the standpoint of US imperialism and its allies towards this regime and praised the struggle of Ethiopia, Angola,Mozambique, and Zimbabwe and their support for the national liberation movements in Africa and expressed support for the struggle of the peoples of South Africa and Namibia under the leadership of the African National Congress and the South West Africa Peoples Organisation Swapo.

Taking the floor the meeting were also the representatives of the delegations of the New Communist Party of Great Britain, of Angola, Malim the African National Congress Swapo the World Federation of Trade Unions and Womens International Democratic Federation.

They criticised the aggressive stand of the ruling facist regime of South Africa towards Angola and called for ending its colonialist rule over Namibia and for abolishing the apartheid system in South Africa.They demanded that a boycott be imposed on the racist regimein Pretoria in the

trade, politics sports, and culture.

They reaffirmed their solidarity with the struggle waged by the national liberation movements of Africa, which is growingin strength thanks to the support by the countries of the socialist community headed by the Soviet Union.

The meeting issued a communique of solidarity with the peoples of Southern Africa in which it declared its support for and its solidarity with the just struggle of these peoples against imperialism, racism and the forces of reaction.The communique denounced the inhuman practices used by the racist regime of Pretoria against the inhabitants of the country and condemned its rule over the people of Namibia as well as its punitive campaign against Africans, and its aggressions against other African States.

The Communique pilloried the support which world imperialism, headed by the United States, accords to this system as well as the cooperation between the racist regime and zionism in the field of nuclear armament, which threatens the security of the peoples of Africa and the Middle East. The communique hailed the policy of internationalist solidarity pursued by the Soviet Union and the other countries of the socialist community and expressed its soldarity with the political prisoners of the racist regime, among them the leading representatives of the liberation movement of South Africa, and demanded their release from the prisons of the Apartheid regime.

MEETING OF SOLIDARITY WITH THE PEOPLE OF PALESTINE AND THE OTHER ARAB PEOPLES.

ADEN.FEB.9TH ANA.

A meeting was being held here today at the Institute of Trade Unionist Studies in solidarity with the people of Palestine and the other ARab peoples. At the meeting Br.Rageh Saleh Nagi CC Designate Member and Deputy CC Secretary delivered a speech in which he revidwed the current situation in the Middle East. He pointed to the chain of plots and conspiracies hatched out by imperialism and zionism in order to impose their hegemony and their influence upon this area and to loot its natural riches.

He made clear that the United states and the zionist enemy supported by the United States, are the main enemy of the Arab peoples.

He added that the Palestinian cause is the angle point of the present struggle on the Arab scene against the enemies of our national cause. He said that imperialism and zionism were trying to plot against the Arab character of Lebanon and its unity and against its progressive national movement, to subjugate Syria and to launch a direct aggression agains t the territory of the Libyan Jamahiriya. He went on to say that all these attempts were doomed to failure thanks to the cohesion of the struggle and heroic steadfastness of the forces of Arab Liberation headed by the Arab Front of Steadfastness.

Br. Rageh Saleh Nagi called for strengthening the militant relations between the forces of world revolution headed by the socialist countries and their vanguards the soviet Union.

The meeting was also addressed by the representatives of the delegations from Syria, the Soviet Union, the Libyan Jamahiriyah, America, Palestine, India, and Cyprus, who outlined in their speeches the present situation in the Middle East and the growing imperialist and zionist on slaught against the nations of this area. They reaffirmed their solidarity and their support for the just struggle waged by the people of Palestine and the other Arab peoples led by their progressive organisations their liberation movements and their national movement. They condemned the aggressive and expansionist acts by Israel against the Arab people as well as the US support for these acts.

The meeting adopted a communique in solidarity with the people of Palestine and the other Arab peoples in which it declares its unrestrained solidarity and support for the just struggle and the cause of the people of Palestine led by the Palestine Liberation Organisation for their right to self determination, their return to their homeland and the foundation of an independent national state.

The communique denounced the imperialist, zionist and reactionary conspiracies which aim harming the national interests of the Arab Peoples and at keeping up imperialist dominance and influence on the neatural wealth and the potentials of the Arab peoples of the region.

The Communique strongly condemned the treacherous Camp David agreements, the European initiative as well as the so-called autonomy project and all other capitulationist plans. It also denounced the escalating military actibities of imperialism in the Arab region and declared its solidarity with the Liberation struggle waged by the Arab peoples and their national and progressive forces in order to face up to the imperialist and zionist attack.

The communique stressed that the Israeli plan to annex the Syrian Golan Heights to its territory reflect Israeli s expansionist intentions and efforts for setting up more settlements.

The communique called upon the international community to impose strict sanctions upon the zionist entity and to force it to annul its aggressive decision. The communique renewed its full support for the struggle of the people of Palestine and for the revolutionary struggle of the Arab Peoples under the leadership of their national and progressive forces.

MEETING SOLIDARITY WITH THE PEOPLE OF ELSALVADOR AND LATIN AMERICA.

ADEN.FEB.9TH ANA.

A meeting of solidarity was being held at the Economics Faculty here in Aden in support of the people of Elsalvador and Latin America. At the meeting Br.Dr.Mohammed Awad Asaadi, Presidium member of the Supreme Peoples Council and Dean of the Economics Faculty, delivered a speech on behalf Democratic Yemen, in which he outlined the progress and the success won by the revolutionary, progressive and democratic movement in Latin America and the Carribean area, as they are represented by the cuban revolution, the overthrow of the Somoza regime, and by the revolution of the people of ElSalva dor against the ruling fascist dictatorship which is being supported by US imperialism. He called for stepping up the support for and the solidarity with the people of ElSalvador and renewed the support for the heroic people of Chile and the struggle of the peoples of Latin America and the Carribean area.

Taking the floor at the meeting were also the representative of the delegations from Cuba, Nicarargwa, ElSávador and Chile who explained in their speeches the present situation in ElSalvador and Latin America and the dangerous imperialist steps in this area, which threatens world peace. The speakers stressed their full support for the people of ElSalvador and the nations of Latin America in their struggle against imperialist conspiraceis, for independence and progress.

The participants in this solidarity meeting addressed a message of greetings to the fighting peoples of ElSalvador and Latin America, in which they denounced and condemned the brutal acts of suppression committed by the fascist military junta in ElSalvador against the people and the fighting national democratic forces there. They also strongly denounced the support extended by the US administration to the dictatorial regimes in Latin America, declared their solidarity with the struggle of the people of ElSalvador and other nations of Latin America and called upon the forces of liberation and peace to extend their support and solidarity to them.

MEETING IN SUPPORT OF THE POLICY OF DISARMAMENT AND INTERNATIONAL DETENTE.

ADEN. FEB.9TH ANA

A meeting was beidg held at the hall of the Ministry of Agriculture here today in support of the struggle for disarmament and international detente.

At the meeting,Br.Mohammed Abdud Kawi,President of State Committee for Information, delivered a speech on behalf of Democratic Yemen in which he explained that the policy of international detente, stability and peaceful coexistence, which has been pursued over the past few years, is being threatened today by the aggressive intentions of the imperialist forces which try to spread hotbeds of tension,set up military bases and hold military exercises. He pointed to the indignation of the peoples at the US administration and the European Governments allieed with it. This indignation had become evident, he said in powerful demonstration of the masses in the capitals of the European countries protesting against these aggressive intentions of imperialism and demanding detente, disarmament and the stop of the imperialist arms race. He

expressed support for the demands of the masses of the European peoples. denounced the aggressive intentions of the imperialist forces headed by US imperialism and praised the peaceful efforts made by the socialist countries led by the Soviet Union. He hailed the Soviet Unions povitive to the continuation of the dialogue on arms limitation and reaffirmed the stand of the Yemeni people at the side of the peoples struggle for d creating favourable conditions for their liberation and development for countering the aggressive intentions of the forces of imperialism and reaction.

Taking the floor at the meeting were furthermore the representatives of the peace councils of the Soviet Union, Egypt, the Federal Republic of Germany, Switzerland, and Belgium who pointed to the necessity of making use of science and technology and raw materials to the benefit of solving the problems of mankind and for peaceful life in the world.

The meeting adopted a communique in which it expresses concern about the intention of the war-mongers in Washington to make use of nuclear weapons in various parts of the world about their preparations for a limited nuclear war in Europe and the Middle East. The communique says that these preparations are being supported by the increasing of US Imperialist military presence in the Arab Gulf and the Arabian Peninsula and the Horn of Africa, by the erection of military bases in Egypt, Oman and other places by supplying Israel South Africa and Pakistan with nuclear weapons, by launching attacks on the peoples struggles by increasing provocations against Poland, by threatening Cuba and Nicaragwa. The communique pillories the symptoms of imperialist armament and expresses support for the peace movements in the world, for the will of the western Duropean peoples to reject the aggressive policy of NATO and the United States. The communique also denounces the pressure exerted by the United States in order to station US nuclear rockets on European soil and to make these countries to raise their budgets of nuclear armament.

THE communique renewed its support for and its appraisal of the peaceful efforts and initiatives made by the countries of the socialism led by the Soviet Union and the peace programme which Leonid Brezhnex submitted to the 26th Congress of the Soviet Communist Party.

The communique appreciates the positive approach of these countries towards continuing dialogues and negotiations in order to resume the process of detente and disarmament.

MEETING OF SOLIDARITY WITH PEOPLES OF VIETNAM, LAOS AND KAMPUCHEA.

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A solidarity meeting was held at the Technology Faculty of Aden today in support of the peopkes of Vietnam, Laos and Kampuchea. During this meeting, Br. Mohmood Arrasy Chairman of the Executive Bureau of the Local Peoples Council of Aden Governorate and Governor of the Governorate, dilivered a speech on behalf of Democratic Yemen, in which he pointed out that US imperialism was continuing its aggressive activities against the peoples by direct military provocations and by supporting the counter revolutionary forces in order to obstruct the struggle for national construction and peace in South East Asia. He reaffirmed the support of Democratic Yemen for struggle of these nations against imperialism and reaction, for defending their achievements and for overcoming the heritage of backwardness and injustice left behind by colonialism. He said the proposals submitted by these countries for developing relations of friendship cooperation and good neighbourhood with their neighbouring states were constructive ands and served security and stability in this area as well as world peace.

Taking the floor at the meeting were also the representatives of the delegations from Lebanon, Vietnam, and Bulgaria, who hailed the victories won by the vietnamese people over US imperialism and its collaborators and reaffirmed their support for and their solidarity with the struggle of the peoples of Kampuchea and Laos. They expressed their high esteem for the efforts made by Kampuchea and Laos. They expressed their high esteem for the efforts made by Kampuchea in order to build up a new life.

The meeting addressed its greetings of solidarity to the peoples of Vietnam, Laos and Kampuchea. It expressed its solidarity with the struggle waged by these peoples as well as by the other peoples of Indochina against the conspiracies of US imperialism and its reactionary stooges, which continuously threaten the peoples of this area and are a danger to peace. The message praised the efforts of the Soviet Union for peace in Indo-China.

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